

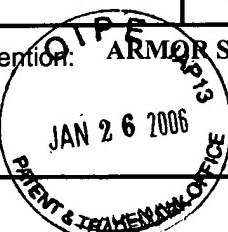
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Applicant(s): JEFFREY A. MEARS, ET AL.

Docket No.

SGP-150 (522424-0000010)

Application No. 10/656,332	Filing Date September 8, 2003	Examiner BROWN, Peter R.	Customer No. 00909	Group Art Unit 3636	Confirmation No. 9214
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Invention: **ARMOR SYSTEM WITH MONOLITHIC CERAMIC SHELL**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

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In re the Application of:	
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For: ARMOR SYSTEM WITH MONOLITHIC CERAMIC SHELL	

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on November 17, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

No extension of time or other fees are believed to be due, except as detailed in the attached documents. However, any extension of time necessary to prevent abandonment is hereby requested, and any fee necessary for consideration of this response is hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account Number 03-3975.

Amendments to the Specification: None.

Amendments to the Claims: reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings: None.

Remarks: begin on page 9 of this paper.